

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of Rainer HIPFEL et al.

Application No. 10/501,814

Group Art Unit: 1649

Filed: May 11, 2005

Examiner: Steven H. Standley

For DIAGNOSTIC AND THERAPEUTIC USE OF THE VOLTAGE-GATED ION CHANNEL
 SCN2A FOR NEURODEGENERATIVE DISEASES

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
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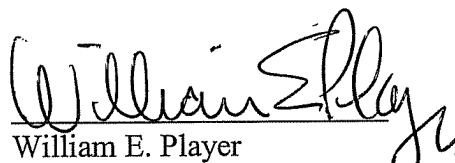
Sir:

Petition is made hereby for a three-month extension of time for response pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a). The \$1,100.00 fee is attached. Please debit or credit any requisite fee adjustment to Deposit Account No. 06-1358.

Respectfully submitted,

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